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- U.S. Patent Re. 36,480 to Bourgeois et al., "Control and Monitoring Device for a Power Switch," describes a control and monitoring device for a power switch, one terminal of which is at a floating reference voltage.
- U.S. Patent 6,151,233 to Kondo, "Synchronous Rectifier Circuit," discloses a synchronous rectifier circuit.
- U.S. Patent 6,184,716 to Depetro et al., "High Voltage Output Stage for Driving an Electric Load," describes a high-voltage final output stage for driving an electric load, of a type which comprises a complementary pair of transistors connected between first and second supply voltage references, and at least one PMOS pull-up transistor and having the body terminal in common therewith.
- U.S. Patent 6,445,623 to Zhang et al., "Charge Pumps with Current Sources for Regulation," describes charge pumps with current sources for regulation.

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